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UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are annually distributed among all Contributors of Business (whether Shareholders or not) in proportion to the premia paid by them. * RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 13th May, 1882.

GENERAL NOTICE. THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY

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CAPITAL TAELS 600,000, EQUAL. \$833,333.33. RESERVE FUND...... \$70,858.27.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: LEE SING, Esq. LEE YAT LAU, Esq. LO YEOK MOON, Esq. CHU CHIK NUNG, Esq.

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MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST. Hongkong, 1st September, 1882.

THE Undersigned have been appointed --- AGENTS to the NEW-YORK-BOARD of UNDERWRITERS. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.

Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. DECORD CAMERICAN and FOREIGN

SHIPPING. Agents, ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

NOTICE.

'HE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies. WOO LIN YUEN Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

Intimations.

WANTED.

A N ENGAGEMENT, either as BOOKKEEPER or GENERAL ASSISTANT, by a Gentleman, who has a few hours during the day, disengaged In case full office hours is required, arrangements might be made with a few days notice. Good references. Salary no object. Apply to

Care of this Office. Hongkong, 10th November, 1882.

MR. A. HAHNS TANCINGCLASSES

HAVE BEEN OPENED For Terms, &c., apply to No. 8, Beaconsfield Arcade. Hongkong, 1st November, 1882.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

In pursuance of instructions from the MR. J. M. GUEDES will sell by Eublic.

the 1st of December, 1882, at 3 P.M. at the Premises.

That Valuable Leasehold Property Comprising SECTION D of MARINE LOT NO and SUBSECTION 3 of SECTION A of MARINE LOT: No. 16A, with Capital HOUSE thereon, being tenement No. 11. Mercer Street. The Premises are held from the Crown for the

residue of the term of 981 years, and will be sold subject to the existing tenancies part of the Crown Rent. For Further Particulars of the Property and Conditions of Sale, apply to-

BRERETON, WOTTON, & DEAGON, Solicitors, 35, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 20th November, 1882.

Auctioneer

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned Auctioneer has been instructed by the MORTGAGEE, to offer for Sale by Public Auction, on SATURDAY.

the 2nd of December, 1882, at 3 P.M.

at the Premises, All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND situate at Victoria, Hongkong, measuring of the North 77 feet 3 inches, on the South 79 feet, on the East 47 feet, and on the West 40 feet, and registered in the Land Office as IN-LAND LOT No. 359. Together with the 6 HOUSES thereon known as Nos. 1, 2, 3,

4, 5, and 6, Fat Hing Street. The Premises are held from the Crown for the residue of the term of 999 years and will be sold subject to the Yearly Crown Rent of \$30.21 and to the existing tenancies and lettings thereof.

For Further Particulars and Condition of Sale, apply to J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer.

BRERETON, WOTTON, & DEACON," Solicitors, 35, Queen's Ruad. Hongkong, 20th November, 1882.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY, lying between Bonham Strand and WingiLok Street, will be offered for Sale by Public Auction, under instructions from the MORTGAGEE, by Mr. J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer, on

THOSE SEVERAL PIECES or PARCELS of the Remaining Portion of Section And of MARINE LOT No. 1, Section E of Marine Lot No. 4, Section F of Marine Lot No. 4, and Subsection One of Section A of Marine

Lot No. 4A. Together with the it. HOUSES, Nos. 3 to 13, inclusive thereon. The aggregate Yearly Crown Rent of the

Premises is \$98.89. The Premises will be Sold subject to the existing tenancies thereof.

To view a plan of the Premises, and for Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to BRERETON, WOTTON, & DEACON, Solicitors for the Mortgagee,

THE AUCTIONEER.

Hongkong, 20th November, 1882,

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

H. MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. QUARTS..... \$22 per Case.

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-Hongkong, and March, 1882. JUST LANDED AND FOR SALE

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TIGH STANDARD SUGAR, Manufac-TI tured by the Luzon Sugar Refining COMPANY, LIMITED, at MANILA; in Quantities to suit Purchasers. This Sugar can be specially recommended for family use, as it is made without the use of animal charcoal or sulphuric acid. Fresh supplies will be received from Manila every fortnight.

TAI YUNE. Compradore, 2 Eastern Avenue, Central Market. Hongkong, 20th November, 1882.

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A ANUFACTURER OF THE LONDON AERATED WATERS. BRACONSFIELD ARCADE

(Opposite the City Hali) Having Purchased the entire Machinery of the late Mr. E. CHASTEL'S SODA WATER FACTORY now prepared to execute the largest orders for every description of Aerated Waters with

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GUARANTEED. Consumers are Invited to try those carefully

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7, BEACONSFIELD ARCADE. Hongkong, 11th April, 1882.

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Assorted LIQUEURS of the best quality. FRENCH BOOTS and SHOES, PER-FUMERY, &c., &c. Hongkong, and October, 1882.

Intimations.

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NOW SHEWING EX "RECENT ARRIVALS."

ALL WOOL SCOTCH PLAIDS, AT 45 CENTS PER YARD. LADIES FUR-LINED CLOAKS FROM \$12 TO \$80 EACH. CLOTH AND MATABASSE DOLMANS, MANTLES, AND JACKETS,

IN NEWEST SHAPES. NOVELTIES DIRECT FROM PARIS IN MOIRE, BROCHE, OTTOMAN, AND SURAT DRESS SILKS.

LADIES SILK AND SPUN SILK HOSE IN EVERY COLOUR. and lettings thereof and to a proportionate | KID GLOVES . -2, 4, 6, 8, 10 BUTTONS. "NOVELTIES IN CORSET LACE," AND CLASP KID GLOVES." INFANTS', CHILDRENS' AND LADIES' BOOTS AND SHOES IN EVERY SIZE.

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RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING NEW AND IMPORTANT BOOKS.

Broadleys' Tunis Past and Present. Episodes in the Life of an Indian Chaplain. The Burman by Shway You: Muckleys H'book for Painters & Art Students. Fawcett's Free Trade and Protection. Proctor's Astronomical Books and Atlases. Macleod's Lectures on Credit and Banking. Bonamy Price's Practical Political Economy. Cool Orchids and How to Grow them. Plays' and Poems of Charles Dickens. China Collectors Pocket Companion.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1882.

Romanc's Animal Intelligence. Vignoli's Myth and Science. Lownde's Marine Insurance, New.ed. Marvin's Russia's Advance Towards India. Trollope's Lord Palmerston Buckland's Notes & Jottings from Animal Life. Leslie Stephen's Science of Ethics. Kempe's Electric Testing, New.ed. Barne's Bookkeeping. Huxley's Science and Culture. New Art Handbooks. NEW PHOTOGRAPHS

Roger's Traits and Stories of Scottish People.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

Meyer's Complete Guide to Chess. CHRISTMAS CARDS 174 NEW MUSIC! Hongkong, 10th November, 1882.

"NOVELTY STORE."

MARINE HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD.

POLICIES granted on MARINE RISKS to all the 4th day of December, 1882, at THREE P.M.; TO Clear Old Stock, the following are offered for a short period at greatly reduced rates:

arts of the World.

TWO SHILLING NOVELS

GROUND situate at Victoria, Hongking, OUIDA, BESANT AND RICE, PAYN, COLLINS, &C. known and Registered in the Land Office as

THIRTY CENTS EACH.

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BOUND VOLUMES OF ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS AND PUNCH FROM 1864 TO 1878, AT VERY CHEAP PRICES. S. MEYERS,

Hongkong, 9th October, 1882.

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HAND A LARGE GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES AND CHRONOGRAPHS, CLOCKS OF ALL KINDS, BAROMETERS, THERMOMETERS, ANEROIDS, SPECTACLES, EYE-GLASSES, &c. BY THE BEST MAKERS, AND AT LOW PRICES. GENTLEMEN'S PARISIAN MADE SHIRTS, SCARVES, AND COLLARS

N THE NEWEST STYLES. BOOTS OF BEST QUALITY. MEERSCHAUM PIPES, CIGAR CASES AND HOLDERS, ALBUMS, INKSTANDS, POCKET-BOOKS.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF STATIONERY. CROCKERY WARE, TEA AND COFFEE SETS. RIFLES, FOWLING PIECES, AND REVOLVERS.

A CHOICE SELECTION OF PINAUD'S BEST PERFUMERY. Hongkong, 2nd October, 1882.

Potices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. MAX CARL JOHANN GROTE has been Authorized to Sign Our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 21st November, 1882.

For Sale.

TO SPORTSMEN. LOR SALE AT LESS THAN COST. OWING TO OWNER LEAVING

THE COLONY. I Set of CAPE HARNESS (Brass Mounts) with Pole (Breast Plates). Silk-lined RACING SADDLE. RACING WHIPS with Silver Mounts.

The above, which are ALL NEW, may be seen at the "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" OFFICE and will be Sold a BARGAIN. Hongkong, and November, 1882. THE CITY OF MANILA CIGAR STORE

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CIGARS of all Brands, Imperiales, Caballeros, Vegueros, Regalias, Londres, Nuevo Ha-banos of all makes, quality guaranteed. Tobaccos of all Brands, at moderate prices. Fancy Goods from the Parisian markets, Meerschaum Pipes, Jewellery of Chaste Designs. Sun Hats, &c., &c.; Commissions Executed. JOSE M. BASA No. 51, B., QUEEN'S ROAD, CENTRAL.

Hongkong, 1st May, 1882.

To be Let.

TO LET.

TARSEE VILLA (5 ROOMS), Robinson Rose also A TWO STOREY HOUSE (6 ROOMS in Mosque Junction. Both the above HOUSES have Gas and Water laid on; and immediate [772 possession can be had. For Particulars apply to

Hongkong Hotel. Hongkong, 27th November, 1882.

TO LET. NTO. 4. OLD BAILEY STREET.

IN No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

ately occupied by PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP No. 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

STORAGE. HE Undersigned are prepared to take Goods on STORAGE at their GODOWNS. Entrance from Praya and Queen's Road Central.

t Hongkong, 1st Novemember, 1882.

TERMS MODERATE. ROSE & Co., 31 and 33, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 30th June, 1882. [266

HOUSE AND LAND BROKER. AUCTIONEER AND COMMISSION AGENT. No. 33, Wellington Street, HONGKONG. Hongkong, 23rd January, 1882

Consignees.

UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

"GALLEY OF LORNE, Capfaln Pomroy, having arrived from above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Hills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be cifected.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Yokohama; unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-MORROW, the 28th instant. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 7th December, or they will not be recognised. RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 27th November, 1882. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship from San Francisco, &c., are hereby requested to

Cargo impeding discharge of the Steamer, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and F. E. FOSTER,

send in their Bills of Lading for Countersigna-

ture and to take immediate delivery of their

Hongkong, 27th November, 1882.

Untimations.

THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-DRDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED, will be held at the Society's Head Office, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 8th day of December, 1882, at TITREE O'CLOCK, in the AFTERNOON, when the Subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Society held on Wednesday, the 22nd day of November. 1882, will be submitted for Confirmation as a Special Resolution.

RESOLUTION. That the Capital of the Society be increased to TWO MILLIONS FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND Distrars by increasing the value of the. By Order of the Board,

DOUGLAS JONES, Acting Secretary. Dated the 22nd day of Nevember, 1882. [77] CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS. CHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to send in to this Office a List of their 'CON-TRIBUTIONS of PREMIA, from the 11th day of May to the 31st day of December, 1881, in Order that the Proportion of Profit for that year to be paid as BONUS to CONTRIBUTORS may be arranged. Returns not sent in before the 30th November next will be made up by the Company, and no subsequent claims or altera-

tions will be allowed. By Order of the Directors. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Hongkong, 22nd September, 1882.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. SUMMARY JURISDICTION

SUIT NO. 1340 OF 1882. KWOK PAK AND, OTHERS V. NG, TANG

AND OTHERS. TOY Order of the Court, the Undersigned (Receiver in the aforesaid Suit) will SELL during the month of November, or on a day to be fixed, all the PARTNERSHIP PROPERTY TRADE, and the GOODWILL of the Partnership—as a going concern—between the PLAIN-TIFFS and the DEFENDANTS known by the

Name of "KWONG SUI LI," [] nt No. 30, West Street, Tai-ping-shan. Offers will be received during the present month and unless SOLD before the 1st of December, the same will be submitted for PUBLIC AUCTION. Any further information can be obtained from

CHUNG SHING HONG,

Translator, Supreme Court. 14th November, 1882. NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

HAS BEEN REMOVED TO No. 27, POTTINGER STREET. T TAIR-CUTTING in the latest Fashion, Shaving, Shampooing, &c., by experienced artistes, and at LOW RATES.

J. DA ROZA'S HAIR CUTTING SALOON

RAZORS CAREFULLY RESET.

Note the address :- No. 27, Pottinger Street.

Hongkong, 23rd November, 1882.

A TRANSFER DEED with SCRIP attached for 20 LUZON SHARES, being one of two Transfers of the same number of Shares

signed by the Hon. F. B. JOHNSON. The finder will oblige by returning it to the Undersigned and the holder of the other 20 Shares by sending them to the Company's Office for Transfer to enable the numbers of the missing Shares to be traced

TRANSFER DEED for 5 LUZON SUGAR SHARES in the name of Mr. C. P. CHATER. D. NOWROJEE, Hongkong Hotel Hongkong, 7th November, 1882;

Shipping.

STEAMERS. FOR MANILA, VIA AMOY.

THE Steamship ,"DIAMANTE,"

Ports, TO-MORROW, the 1st December, at For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Captain Cullen, will be despatched for the above

Hongkong, 28th November, 1882. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, ODESSA; and the MEDITERRANEAN PORTS). THE Company's Steamship

"BERENICE," Captain T. Crillovich, will be despatched as above on or about the 4th prox. For further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, 23rd November, 1882.

SAILING VESSELS. FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. I. I. British Ship "GLOAMING," Densmore, Master, will load here for the above

Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to Hongkong, 7th November, 1882.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. German Ship

"MOMMSEN," Wilms, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, 20th November, 1882.

RUSSELL & Co.

Mails.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. THE U.S. Mail Steamship

"CITY OF PEKING,"

will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the and December, at THREE.P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to

Hayana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England,

France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines RETURN PASSAGES,-Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 per cent. from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 per cent. will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 per cent. from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through

fares from China and Japan to Europe.

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. on the 1st December. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices

of Customs at San Francisco. For further information, as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. F. E. FOSTER,

in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector

Hongkong, 10th November, 1882. . . [505 CCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM, SHIP COMPANY.

JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO. CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE : THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO

ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING

THE Steamship ARABIC,"

will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on TUESDAY, the 12th December, at THREE P.M.

Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day previous to sailing.

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For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency, of the Company. No. 50A, Queen's Road Central, F. E. FOSTER,

Hongkong, 23rd November, 1882.

Intimations.

CHRISTMAS

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INSPECTION is Invited of our Collection of CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS which have been carefully Selected in London from the Stocks of various makers.

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be accompanied by the name and address of the writers, not necessarily for publication; but as evidence of good faith.

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TO ADVERTISERS.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Arrangements have been made to publish The Hongkong Telegraph daily at 4 P.M. Subscribers in the central districts who do not receive their copies before FIVE O'CLOCK will oblige by at once communicating with the Manager.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1882

That glory and ornament of Hongkong, the honorable and irrepressible Mr. F. BULKELEY JOHNSON, has once more gone on the war-path against Governor HENNESSY Undeterred by the numerous ignominious defeats received at the hands of His Excellency in the Legislative Council; unmindful of the sorry figure he cut in the HAYLLAR v. EITEL scandal; forgetful of the fearful, "setting-down" he recently received in his memorable controversy with Mr. Tallack of the Howard Association; apparently oblivious of the many noteworthy instances in which he has hopelessly come to grief when attempting to shine as a leader of men and the trusted representative and exponent of public opinion in Hongkong, Mr. Bur. KELEY JOHNSON has again thought it advisable to rush into print in search of fresh notoriety. As the honorable gentleman evidently has an insatiable craying after publicity, we shall do our utmost to gratify his desires by devoting in our widely cirmanifesto.

The world ought to know who and what this gentleman is who arrogates to himself in such autocratic fashion the pomp, majesty and power of Hongkong. Presuming that the literary emanation which is the subject our present remarks will, as stated by its author, be forwarded to the various Chambers of Commerce in the United Kingdom, and to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, there will, no doubt, be many questions asked, and numerous speculations hazarded as to the personality and status of Mr. F. BULKELEY JOHNSON. The same of the great East Point orator and politician is not world-wide; his existence beyond the local limits of this seagirt isle is probably even unknown to the great men whose genius directs the destinies of the world. It is therefore a mere matter of justice that a gentleman who is striving so hard to win a certain kind of fame or notoriety in the great empire of politics, should not, for lack of an impartial horizon like a shooting star, and, after a brief-career,-sink-hopelessly-into-utterobscurity. There ought to be no mistake as to the identity of Mr. F. BULKELEY JOHNSON. In fairness to Mr. Johnson and the cause tries.

he espouses, it is only right to mention

that, by virtue of his lengthened residence

the interests of Great Britain in China." It must be some score of years since Mr. F. Bulkeley Johnson commenced business as a merchant in Hongkong, and although, like many more great men, his career was not altogether free from the quips and cranks of fortune, his associations with the eminent firm so felicitously styled by Governor HENNESSY " the princely house of JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.," not only made him a prominent figure in our local world, but could hardly have failed to thoroughly acquaint him with every important detail of the many Chinese questions of public importance which are now occupying the close attention of statesmen at home. At the present time the subject of this brief memoir is local head of the great mercantile house named above; he is also an unofficial member of the Legislative Council, and a Justice of the Peace; and besides being connected with most of the public and private enterprises of the Colony, is chairman of the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce. It is in the last named capacity that Mr. Bulkeley Johnson has written and circulated a most audacious and uncalled-for letter, which, under the transparent guise of being an explanation and defence of the interests of the Colony, is merely a more than usually virulent attack on Governor HENNESSY. And with this letter we now propose to deal.

In the course of an address on the Repression of Crime, delivered at the Social Science Congress, recently held in Nottingham, Sir John Pore Hennessy, Governor of this Colony, now on leave of absence in England; is reported to have said: "In the little Colony under my government one million sterling changes hands every month in the article of Opium. But, with commercial activity and profit, there comes an increase of crime from Oplum, from its consumption, and from its smuggling. Hongkong wages a chronic Opium war on a small scale with China. A desperate class of men, the Opium smugglers, make the Colony the base of their operations—they purchase cannon and ammunition there, they fit out heavily armed junks, and engage, within sight of the Island, in naval battles with the revenue cruisers of the Emperor of China. Sometimes the Emperor's revenue officers are killed, sometimes the smugglers. Not unfrequently wounded men of both sides are brought into the Colony. All this gives rise to a class of crimes difficult for the Governor to repress, difficult on account of the influence of those who profit by it; whether they are local traders or the financiers of a Viceroy."

It is these somewhat bombastic and rather highly colored public utterances of Governor HENNESSY which have again brought Mr. BULKELEY JOHNSON to the front as the self-constituted champion of the best interests of Hongkong. As chairman of our local Chamber of Commerce, the honorable member for JARDINE's in Hongkong considers it advisable to indite a very long letter to Mr. CHARLES MAGNIAC, M. P., President of the London Chamber of Commerce, and member for JARDINE's in London, combating the truth of the Governor's statements, and generally, and somewhat recklessly, expatiating on the subject-matter of his Excellency's speech, The explanation-given-by-the-member for JARDINE's in Hongkong for addressing the member for JARDINE's in London on the subject of that portion of Governor Henis sufficiently amusing to warrant reproauthority, but which are nevertheless unwarranted and misleading, The statements referred to are, in the opinion of the Committee, calculated not only to affect injuriously the reputation of the Colony, but to damage its interests by prejudicing the policy of the Home Government and the the settlement of questions arising out of the close political and commercial relations which the Island of Hongkong from its juxtaposition must necessarily hold with the Empire of China. The Committee the promotion of British Commercial enterprise abroad in all legitimate channels one of the objects the London Chamber of Commerce has in view, and, to that end, it biographer, be allowed to flash across the should prevail, not only among the memthroughout the United Kingdom as to the position and character of British trade and traders in the Colonies and Foreign Coun-

dressed by the Chairman of the Hongkong place some five or six years ago in the in the Far, East, he should be eminently Chamber of Commerce to an entirestranger | vicinity of Stone-cutters Island between the

qualified to speak or write on all political to our local commercial history, might have Revenue cruiser Peng-chau-hai and fourteen Tim Diamante and the Carisbrooke were released and commercial matters connected with been passed without attracting special no- smuggling junks, which created a good

It is hardly necessary to deal with the two columns of Mr. Johnson's explanatory | smuggling craft; resulting invariably in verbiage; his summing up is sufficient for | heavy loss of life, in our immediate vicinall purposes. He writes:-"With reference, therefore, to Sir John Pope

Hennessy's allegations, which were to the follow-

a. That this Island is the base of operations for a class of desperate men who carry on a large contraband trade in Opium with

b. That, for the purpose of carrying on that trade, junks heavily armed with cannon are fitted out here and wage a chronic war with the neighbouring Empire.

That these junks engage, within sight of the Island, in naval battles with the Chinese Revenue Cruisers resulting in large loss of life on both sides, the facts are:—

a. There is no large contraband trade, is Opium carried on between this Colony and the China Coast. On the contrary, the Opium smuggled, considering the extent of the trade, is inconsiderable and for the most part is carried into China in small quantities, portable and easily concealed, just as parcels of tobacco are smuggled into the United Kingdom.

b. That within the knowledge of the Harbour Master and the Colonial Police Authorities no armed junks have been fitted out in this harbour during the last five years for the purpose of Opium' sniuggling. Smuggling of Opium, when attempted at all otherwise than by passengers in the various steamers trading to the Coast of China, is carried on in ordinary trading junks or in rowing boats dependent for success in their illicit trade upon their swiftness and small size.

c. No such contests as those referred to in allegation c, have taken place within the last five years, and no loss of life in connection with Opium smuggling during the same period has come under the notice of the Police. Any serious affrays attended with loss of life which have occurred in the neighbourhood of this Colony between Native vessels and Revenue Cruisers, have been in connection with contraband traffic in other articles on the adjacent China Coast with which, so far as is known, this Colony has had no concern. The only instance reported by the Police in which Revenue Officers have been injured; was the case of the Salt junk referred to above and shown to be a purely Chinese

It may be added that in goods other than Opium there is very little if any illicit trade carried on between this Colony and the mainland, and that no allegation has ever been made tha foreigners are engaged directly or indirectly in smuggling of any kind.

In conclusion, the Committee cannot refrain from expressing regret that Sir John Pope Hennessy, having had the fullest opportunities as Governor of this Island for five years of obtaining accurate information with regard to occurrences taking place and the state of affairs prevailing here during his term of office, should have been led to make statements, unfounded in fact and misleading in the inferences they are calculated to raise, which could not fall to damage the character of the Colony, the legitimate interests of which it might justly have been ex pected he would have been most anxious to

The attention of every person who has any acquaintance with the subject cannot fail to be attracted by Mr. BULKELEY JOHNson's extraordinary audacity. We cannot help expressing regret that our worthy unofficial member, having had the fullest opportunities during a residence in China of about twenty years of obtaining accu rate information with regard to occurrences taking place and the state of affairs pre vailing here, should have been led to make statements, unfounded in fact and misleading in the inserences they are calculated to raise, which could not fail to damage the character and reputation of Sir John Pope Hennessy, with the obvious motive of hoodwinking the public both here and at home, who are ignorant of the real state of the case. Governor HENNESSY's remarks at Nottingham, although doubtless clothed in against Sir John Pope Hennessy is so rather extravagant lauguage, are, as perfectly well known in Hongkong, sub-NESSY'S Nottingham speech above quoted, stantially true. Mr. Bulkeley Johnson's "facts" are nothing more nor less than culated pages special attention to his latest duction. "The attention of the Committee the fruits of that gentleman's vivid imagiof this Chamber," writes Mr. Johnson, "has nation. It is perfectly true that Hongkong been called to certain statements recently is the base of operations for a large conmade in the United Kingdom regarding traband oplum trade with China; it is also this Colony, on what must unfortunately a matter of fact, which can be proved any appear to the public mind to be competent | day, that numerous heavily armed smuggling junks-many of which have been fitted out and equipped here-make this port a regular rendezvous; we can fur ther state from our own personal knowledge and experience, as well as from information derived from reliable sources, that the naval battles between the smug-Imperial Parliament, when dealing with glers and Chinese Revenue cruisers resulting in large loss of life, are not inventions of Governor HENNESSY's fertile imagination. Mr. Johnson's allegation that the contraband trade between here and China is insignificant, is merely a deplorable disoffers no apology for addressing you on play of ignorance, which will carry no this subject, as it ventures to believe that | weight whatever; his references to the Harbour Master and Colonial Police in a free port with regard to being authorities on smuggling operations, are worse than childish, as it is notorious that neither the is clearly desirable that a true appreciation | Harbour Master nor the police exercise the slightest control over the smugglers bers of your influential Committee, but who use Hongkong as their base of operations; and his pseudo assertion that the naval contests referred to by Governor HENNESSY never occurred; is a scandalous perversion of truth. Did Mr. BULKELEY JOHNSON REVER This exquisite piece of bunkum if ad- hear of the famous encounter that took

tice; but penned in all seriousness by Mr. | deal of sensation in consequence of the | Emuy are in isolation." F. BULKELBY JOHNSON to Mr. CHARLES desperate character of the battle, and the MAGNIAC, its utter absurdity is so apparent | serious loss of life? Has Mr. BULKELEY that we can only express surprise at the Johnson heard nothing during his residence representative of JARDINE's in Hongkong in Hongkong of frequent engagements laying himself so open to the lash of satire. between the Hoppo's cruisers, when the European officers had command, and ity? We will charitably suppose that he never has, and therefore say that a person so entirely ignorant of events which have

happened almost in our midst from time to time, and which have, moreover, been themes of general comment in the Colony, displays audacity and presumption in publiely claiming to be an authority on mat ters of which he actually knows less than

It is difficult to understand for what purpose Mr. Bulkeley Johnson quotes the opinions of the Registrar General and Harbour Master of Hongkong as authorities on matters with which officially they have not the slightest connection or acquaintance. As the opinions of independent observers, the reports of Mr. Jas. Russell and Captain H. G. Thox-SETT must be taken exactly for what they may be worth—and it so happens that on the questions at issue they are worth nothing at all-but as evidences of official knowledge they are utterly valueless to assist Mr. Johnson's contentions. The introduction of these officials is a move of something the same stamp as the chairman of the Chamber of Commerce's extraordinary assertion that the larger portion of the Opium traffic in Hongkong can only be classed under the head of Hongkong trade in the sense in which the honorable gentleman deny that Hongkong is the terminus for the opium steamers from India? If not, what is he driving at? It is quite true that large quantities of opium, as well as o most other articles of traffic, are transhipped to Shanghai and other ports, just in the same way that grain shipped from the Black Sea or San Francisco to London or Liverpool is sent from these ports to other places throughout the country. But London or Liverpool, as the case may be, is credited with the traffic all the same; and so, as Hongkong is the terminus of these opium steamers, and the base operations for the opium trade, Governor HENNESSY was perfectly justified in stating that opium to the extent of nearly a million

any case against Governor HENNESSY, he has utterly failed to make it out. His charges against His Excellency are totally unfounded; his alleged facts, as we have briefly shown, will not for an instant bear the light of a searching investigation. The whole of this semi-official communication smells, disagreeably of hatred and charitableness. There are many methods of slandering absent officials, but we cannot think that this latest attack is a happy

"The sneer squivocal, the hersh reply.
And all the cruel language of the eye;
The artful inquiry, whose venomed dart
Scarce wounds the hearing, while it stabs the heart; The guarded phrase, whose meaning kills, yet told. The listener wonders how you thought it cold? These, and a thousand gricis minute as these. Corrode our comfort, and destroy our ease.

The Hon, F. Bulkeley Johnson's animus evident in this manifesto, that ill-natured people may feel inclined to attribute it to other causes than pure patriotism. Governor HENNESSY's action in the historical munity. It is unnecessary to make special men-Hongkong Mint disclosures is apparently still a sore subject at East Point.

TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, 29th November. TROUBLE WITH FRANCE ABOUT MADAGASCAR. Negotiations have been broken off with France

regard to Madagascar, THE DISAFFECTION IN DUBLIN.

A proclamation has been issued enforcing the curfew clause in the Coercion Act in Dublin.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Ir may interest some of our readers to know that the length of the submarine cables in the whole world is estimated to be 64,000 miles, and their value \$202,000,000.

For making a noise and using bad language within the sacred precincts of the Supreme Court buildings yesterday, a chair coolie was fined a dollar or four days this morning by Captain Thomsett. The licensed street obstructionist was General, near whose office the offence was com-

number of blind persons in Prussia has considerincrease of ten per cent in population. The falltreatment of children.

from quarantine yesterday. The Remus and the

THE Anglo-Brazilian Times of the 24th September reports the signing of peace between Chil and Peru, Peru ceding Tarapaca and Tacna, and acknowledging a war indemnity of 200,000,000 silver pesos, and Chili advancing 6,000,000 to Peru and keeping 4,000 men at Lima for a year.

SIR Garnet Wolseley's generalship appears to five days each. have fairly stood the test of professional criticism. Captain Hagenaw of the German army, who was dispatched to Egypt to watch the late campaign, has recently made his report. In a carefully written paper he culogizes the tactics of the British army in the most complimentary manner.

IT appears from statistics that there were three times as many people killed in the streets of London. in 1881 as it cost to storm Arabi's position at Telel-Kebir, and ten times as many wounded, the figures being, killed 252, wounded 3,400. There were 800 fires, 274 suicides, 11 murders and only 3 convictions; 470 burglaries and only 91 convictions.

THE Royal Artillery are busy making preparations for their annual practice at Stone-cutters' Island. A 64 pounder gun has been already sent there, and another, as well as some 7 pounde mountains, will shortly follow. Firing will also take place from the 7 inch muzzle loaders in th battery on the Island. It is expected that the practice will commence early next month.

IT is authoritatively stated that the German Government is endeavoring to arrange an amicable understanding between England on one side, and the Porte and France on the other, in regard to Egyptian affairs, in which it is proposed that France shall renounce all claim of right to interfere in Egyptian affairs, and in return for such renunciation, France is to be compensated by the annexation of Tunis.

FRENCH journals assert that the idea of piercing the Isthmus of Malacca, which is a matter of traffic through the Suez Canal can be considerable interest in France, is being actively considered as Egyptian trade." Does the pursued. The French Consul at Siam, Dr. Harmand, the celebrated explorer of the Indo-Chinese peninsula, has just surveyed the ground; with the co-operation of the King of that country, and has reported that the scheme is perfectly practicable. The King, it is stated, has expressed his willingness to make a concession to M. de Lesseps.

> IT has been announced that it is not the intention of the War Office to promote any of the general officers employed in the recent operations in Egypt to a higher military rank than that held by them at the time of their departure on active service, and though some officers enjoyed the privileges of higher ranks in Egypt, they are, on arrival in Egland, to revert in all cases to their former positions, as the military authorities do not view with favour the system of confirming officers in temporary rank which is only conferred. upon them for specific purposes.

sterling per month changed hands in this THOSE desirous of seeing the power of vapour when confined in an iron vessel heated by fire, Gool Mahomed spied a marine hawker named If the Hon. F. Bulkeley Johnson had have only to inspect the shattered boiler of the Fei-lung now lying on the Praya near the Harbour Office, when they will behold a pretty fair manifestation of its strength. To use the words of a well-known writer, vapour when thus confined "grows into a power so irresistible that it drives proud navies over the impetuous waves, and in the teeth of the fiercest hurricanes. As it escapes from its prison into the air, it dies, Samson-like, from the very effort which displayed its

OUR Enterprising (?) and independent (?) evening contemporary—the same estimable journal that confessed the other day its acquaintance with the inner mysteries of journalism so far as having been "got at" was concerned-in concluding a fulsome article devoted to buttering the Hon. F. Bulkeley Johnson says :- "The letter indeed, together with the official documents appended to it, forms (sic) the best evidence which the Hongkong public has had of late of the good service which a body like the Chamber of Commerce is capable of accomplishing in forwarding the interests of a commercial comtion of the Chairman in this connection (sic) as the Committe, and we should think the entire body of members, are entirely with Mr. Johnson in this matter; but it must be said in common fairness that we have seldom seen a document emanating from a public body more calculated to effect the purpose for which it was this port. About half past four on the morning indited, and for the leading part which Mr. of the 19th, complainant's box, containing Johnson may have taken in this movement we I the dollars, disappeared from the upper quarventure to say that the community of Hongkong | tendeck of the steamer, where he had placed have had their debt of gratitude to that it, and has never been seen since. He had been public-spirited gentleman immensely increased," sitting upon it at four o'clock that morning, and "In this connection" we only desire to ask one during an interval of about half an hour, while question, and that is-What has Mr. F. Bulkeley | he went to his wife who had called him, and Johnson ever done for the benefit of the com- who with his family, was sleeping on a grating munity of Hongkong to entitle him to the "debt over the tiller, for the use of which he said he of gratitude" alluded to by the China Mail ? So had given the Chief Officer \$15, the box became far as our acquaintanceship with the affairs of non sat. He reported his loss to the chief this Colony extends, Mr. Johnson, whatever he officer, who had the deck passengers' baggage may have done for his own personal interests, searched. Prior to the search, according to cannot lay a shadow of a claim to any act that the evidence of a cook on board, who acted has in any possible way whatsoever benefited the as interpreter, complainant said he could Hongkong public. If we are wrong, we challenge identify one of his dollars, as it had a chisel correction. Mr. Bulkeley Johnson's patronage mark, was an American trade dollar, and one and influence, as the head of the firm of Jardine, of ten similar dollars which were in the box, Matheson & Co., and as Director of most of our In the defendant's box 118 silver dollars were local public companies, have undoubtedly kept (found, one of which the complainant) identified the evening rag from shulting up shop long ago. as the marked dollar, and, curiously enough, ten taken into custody by direction of the Registrar The China Mall certainly owes the honorable American trade dollars, including the marked gentleman a debt of gratitude for these marks of one, were also found there. Upon the arrival of favor, and in its own slavish way tries to repay the steamer here yesterday, the defendant was STATISTICS have been collected showing that the its obligations by "buttering" its patron saint, handed over to the police on the charge as stated. and abusing his opponents, regardless of every- In reference to the 118 dollars found in his box ably decreased within ten years, in spite of an thing; but the existence of such a newspaper is the after being cautioned, told Sergeant Jones anything but a boon to the Hongkong community. I that he was taking 74 to his friends, which the lug off was from 22,978 in 1871 to 22,677 in 1880. so "in this connection" the debt of gratitude is letters found in his box would prove, and that It is declared that this improvement has been rather a nuisance than otherwise. Why does not the balance of 44 belonged to himself. The case due to the progress of scientific methods in the the China Mall enlighten us just a wee bit more was remanded till to-morrow, and the Chief Officer about the inner mysteries of being "got at?" of the Glantyon ordered to be subposhed

A REINFORCEMENT of 11 gamblers was sent by Captain Thomsett this morning to Victoria Gaon'in default of their stumping up the fines imposed, \$10 on one and \$5 each on the remainder, They were pounced upon yesterday in a house in Tai Wong Lane, by Constable Miller and two other constables, where they were playing the celestial game of Po Tsz, a sort of conge et blanc. The alternative imprisonment having been fixed by the Magistrate in the proportion of a Mexican per diem, one will have to do ten days and the others

A 'RICKSHA driver was sent to three months! hard labor this morning by Captain Thomsett for snatching a bangle, worth \$3, offthe wrist of a child belonging to a Compradore, in Hollywood Road yesterday. The miscreant was seized by a building contractor, with the bangle in his possession. but yet had the audacity to deny he was the thief. Another man forsooth annexed the valuable, and he, fired with zeal in the cause of justice-all 'ricksha and chair coolies; are in Hongkonggave chase with such effect that the other fellow was fain to drop the bangle, which he simply picked up with the view of restoring it to the owner. Captain Thomsett, however, is too old a bird to be caught by such chaff.

A CRICKET match, Hongkong C.C. v. Officers of the Army and Navy, will be played to-morrow and Saturday, commencing to-morrow at 2 p.m.; and on Saturday at 11 a.m. By the kind permission of Colonel Hobson and the Officers of the Buffs, the fine band of the regiment will play on the opening day from 4 p.m.; and at the same hour on Saturday, by permission of Admiral Willes, the band of the Iron Duke, will perform. The match promises to be one of the most interesting of the season; the teams, which are as follows, appearing on paper very evenly

matched:-H.O. WILSON. Licut, V. HUNDURY, The Buffs, Lieut, H. St. D. JARRETT, The Buffs, Lieut, C. P. LLOYD, The Buffs, Mr. F. B. AUDRRY. Mr. J. J. Brit. Inving. | Capt. F. A. Newington, R.M. L.I. Mr. W. H. Donson. | Rev. C. F. Stebenes. Mr. F. S. C. HARR. Lieut. Dormer, R.N. Mr. C. U. STUART. Mr. H. G. RICE (Commissariat). Mr. H. F. Wodenouse. Mr. A. Wilson, R.N.

ONE of Sir Wilfrid's great agencies, the Blue Ribbon Army, is not, says a contemporary, to have the field to itself. An opposing force, which calls itself the Yellow Ribbon Army, is in course. of formation, and its general, who bears the uneuphonious name of Hicks, has been delivering a spirited address to some of his soldiers at a well-known tavern in South London. The Yellow Ribbonites seem to be jovial souls, who believe less in the anchorites of legend than in the immortal "Old King Cole," of whom we know little beyond the fact that "he called for his pipe, and he called for his glass, and he called for his fiddlers three." If "General" Hicks and his "men" think that wearing a yellow, ribbon will intensify their enjoyment of a modest quencher, by all means let them wear it; but, if these ribbon movements multiply, every man, woman, child, dog, and cat in the United Kingdom will soon be decore.

THIS morning at six o'clock, Police Constable Kwok Akum land from a boat with two baskets of coal, there being four other baskets in the boat; the total weight of coal was 445lbs. Immediately the marine peripatetic spotted Mahomed, he dropped the baskets like a hot potato, jumped into the water, and swam gracefully to a junk lying off some distance. The prophet, however, was not going to let his quarry thus escape him, and getting into a sampan he steered for the junk and arrested the marine. Before Captain Thomsett this morning, the hawker averred he bought the coal from a coolie, and that he fell into the water by the merest accident. He did not, however, attempt to explain his graceful glide through the liquid element away from the shore, when he saw the stern features of Gool Mahomed frowning down upon him. For the unlawful possession of the coal, which he had probably filched from some ship or lighter in harbour, the hawker was fined \$10 or two months' hard labor, and paid the fine, showing that his business must be a profitable

AT the Police Court this morning, before Captain Thomsett, a Chinese carpenter charged a compatriot, a miner, with having, with others not in custody, stolen a box, his property, containing \$600 in silver, on board the steamship Glenlyon, at sea, on the 19th instant. The complainant and defendant were follow passengers on the steamer from the Straits Settlements to

A LODGE of Emergency of United Service, No. 1341, will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, to-night, the 30th inst., at 7.30 for 8 o'clock precisely.

THE Diamante came off the Patent Slip, and the Agnes Muir undocked at Kowloon to-day. The German bark H. Upmann went into the Cosmopolitan Dock this morning, and the steamer Easington will dock at Kowloon to-morrow.

WE observe from a telegram in an American contemporary that a settlement has at last been effected in the celebrated libel case in which Clement Scott, the well-known dramatic critic, sued. Henry Sampson, editor and proprictor of the London Referee, for damages, for publishing a rumour in which Mr. Scott, the late Adelaide Neilson, and Admiral Carr-Glyn figured rather prominently. The case, it will be remembered, was tried by Lord Coleridge and a jury, when a verdict for the plaintiff with £1,500 damages was returned. The matter was afterwards re-opened, and the question of damages submitted to Lord Coleridge, who, if we remember rightly, somewhat reduced the amount fixed by the jury. It has now been arranged that Mr. Scott will waive all claim to costs, Mr. Sampson retracting the statements made in the offensive paragraph, and publishing a full apology.

WE beg to direct attention to a letter from Mr. A. Mencarini, Consul for Spain at this port, which appears in our correspondence column. Mr. Mencarini's letter speaks for itself. The distress and suffering in the Philippines is very great; the privations being endured by the unhappy people in consequence of the terrible calamities of the past few months, appeal to the Christian world. Much good might be done by prompt and united action on the part of our charitably disposed citizens. We have no doubt that action will quickly be taken to substantially show the sympathy of Hongkong for our afflicted brethern in Manila, and we would suggest that, in addition to the circulation of a subscription list, our leading dramatic and musical celebrities should combine and arrange some sort of entertainment for the benefit of these distressed people. Any measure of this description in aid of such a deserving cause, would be universally supported. Our Portuguese friends might also get up a subscription ball, concert, or other entertainment, to be held in the splendid hall of the Club Lusitano, for the benefit of the unfortunate people of the Philippines.

CORRESPONDENCE.

(We do not necessarily endorse the opinious expressed by Currespondents in this column.]

THE DISTRESS IN MANILA.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGKONG, TRUEGRAPH," SIR,-Your sensible appeal to the inhabitants - of this Colony on behalf of the homeless and distressed natives of Manila, which I read in your esteemed paper in its issue of the 27th inst., will be thankfully acknowledged by those whose sufferings inspired you with such charitable feelings, as well as by any sympathizer with the numerous victims of so many scourges.

As their interpreter, I feel myself bound to tender to you the warmest thanks, whatever may be the results of your kind endeavours.

As for myself, should any one feel disposed to contribute to the relief of the unfortunate people of Manila, I should be happy in forwarding to the proper authorities any sum entrusted to me with the name of the offerer.

I have the honour to be, Dear Sir,

Your most ob ient servant, A. MENCARINI, Consul for Spain.

Hongkong, 29th November, 1882.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

If the weather only keeps fine, the cricket match to be played to-morrow and Saturday between the H.K. C. C. and the Officers of the Army and Navy should prove unusually interesting. Ac cording to the list published in another place, the Club will send out a powerful team to uphold its ancient renown, and all the available skill in the various departments of the game will, no doubt, be put to the test, as the United Services will be represented by as dangerous a combination as I have seen in the field this season. The naval and military players, although an exceedingly powerful batting eleven, are hardly so strong in the bowling element as I thought would be the case, the absence of the veteran "Willum," who it was expected would figure in the team, making a vast difference. It is this deficiency in bowling which will probably lead to the defeat of the Army and Navy; for although Stobbing is a reliable and generally effective trundler, he is the only "flyer! in the team, unless Dormer is "the dark horse" who is to effect the overthrow of the Club. As I have previously stated, Rice and Wilson are only useful as changes, and can be expected to come. off very rarely when opposed to good batsmen.

The Officers are certainly formidable as bats-Hedley, in spite of being rather uncertain, is always dangerous, and were he and Arthur Wilson to get well set the Club would have no end of trouble. Stebbing, Bunbury, and Newington are all excellent wielders of the willow, the Buffs "crack" being probably the most brilliant of the three; and Lane, Jarrett, Rice, and Lloyd, although hardly of so high a class, are all good for runs on an emergency. I can't quite fix Browne and Dormer, but have some hazy notion that the last named is a good all go yound cricketer. The Club are strong both in batting and bowling. Travers, F. H. O. Wilson, and Hynes are quite top-sawyers at the trundling game, and both Dobson and Barff have proved destructive during the present season. All these players are also capital batsmen, and with Wodehouse, Hare, Stuart, Bell Irving, Coxon, and Aubert, it certainly, on paper, looks odds on the Club. Had Willum played for the Services, instead

of figuring under his proper cognomen on the opposing side, I should have fancied the Army and Navy; but under present circumstances the Club should win pretty comfortably, although the absence of St. Croix is not in their favor.

. A good attendance should witness the play, the musical programmes promised being a sure draw. On Friday the excellent band of the Buffs will perform, commencing at 4 o'clock, and for Saturday Admiral Willes has kindly lent the band of H.M.S. Iron Duke.

In the expectation of seeing steeplechase practice, the attendance at the race course on Wednesday morning was unusually large. Amongst others, I noticed the well-known figure of the leviathan from the Holy City who was so closely identified with the ever memorable, victories of the Babe and Shell. There was, however, no steeplechasing, and so, many early risers were doomed to disappointment. Having already briefly expressed my view as to the line pursued by the Stewards with regard to steeplechasing, there now remains very little to be said. The opinion has been expressed by all the owners to whom I have spoken on the subject, with one exception, that if the Stewards desire to make the cross-country events successful, they should at once advertise the conditions under which these races are to be run. In this opinion I entirely coincide, and would suggest the following as suitable conditions for the first " Hongkong Steeplechase:—a sweepstakes of \$5 each, with \$added, for all ponies that have never won a steeplechase in China; weight for inches as per scale; distance twice round a course to be selected by the Stewards. Entries to close before 5 p.m. on Saturday, 20th January, 1883.—The race to be run on the Off Day." Perhaps some sporting Crossus will open his heart, and in the interests of sport offer a Cup to be run for under. these stipulations!

.There was some rather interesting work got through on Wednesday morning, quite a number of the subscription griffins cantering at various rates of speed. When I use the word cantering, it may be as well to explain that I mean galloping, for although these two paces are not at all alike, there is no distinction made between the two terms in China, and in giving orders to the riding boys the word' "canter" is almost invariably used. Arabi Bey after a spell of trotting went about three furlongs in fine style. His owner said he was ---- slow, but he seemed satisfied nevertheless. Mr. Morgan's pair of cripples were sent along at half speed, and, considering their infirmities, moved very well indeed. Mr. Gordon's team were out in pairs, Robbie Burns and Dragic Bower, Lord of the Isles and Darnley, and Bothwell and Strathisla covering the length of the straight at a smart pace.

The future bearers of the star-spangled banner of Mr. Lewis did healthy exercise, but nothing of special importance. Mr. Paul's string were all on the course, but with the exception of a quarter "pow" between the dark grey and Mr. Sassoon's dun, in which the grey showed the better speed, they were also kept very quiet. Methusalem and Nebuchednezzar galloped in much improved form. Maleriado and Kelpie also had a smart burst down the straight, the black holding the other quite safe all the way. The Military contingent were 'quietly at work, the dun only trotting, whilst Silverstreak in the hands of "the Major" showed himself an exceedingly nice mover. Hazel "powed" with two of the Ewe ponies, Mr. Bell's white pulling over the other pair from start to finish. I noticed Airlie, winner of last year's Victoria Plate, striding along in the hands of his owner.

The only noteworthy event this morning was the first appearance on the course of the reputed "cracks," Castigator, Blunder Blas, and Dutch Oven. The first named is a beautifully shaped pony, and apparently a fine goer; "Blunder" is powerfully built but rather deficient in quality and Mr. Tasman's dun Derby candidate is big enough, if only good enough, to win that classic event. I shall know more about these racers later on. A sturdy looking chesnut or dun with square cut tail, specially imported for the Welter, should prove a pleasant mount for his sporting

AN OLD SPORTSMAN. Hongkong, 30th November, 1882.

FOOCHOW.

Strong N. E. gales are still prevailing outside. On the 17th inst., the British three-masted schooner Willy, Captain Oscar, from Amoy to Chefoo, had to put back to Sharp Peak, having broken her foreyard, lost sails, &c. . The German man-of-war Illis is reported to have been seen on the 17th inst., with loss of foremast, steaming North. Barometer all the time shewing very high. It is expected that in a few days time the wind will settle down to the steady N. E.

The recent several phenomena of comet, moon. shining by day, and slight earthquake, have rendered the natives exceeding fearful; and they attribute the recent dreadful fire and the existing cholera epidemic to these strange events. With a view to preventing worse results, a general chin chin Joss has been held during the past week, and "sing-songs" given. Whether this method of ameliorating the evil will have the desired effect remains to be seen, but the natives appear fully confident that it will prevent a further progress of the evils from which they are suffering. So much for the peculiar superstition of the Chinese, and "if it does'nt hurt us and amuses and satisfies them" we have no occasion to complain of these strange customs, which perhaps after all are no more absurd than many of our own, if we could only see them in a proper light.-Herald.

"THAMES-STREET INDUSTRIES," by Percy Russell. This Illustrated Pamphlet on Perfumery, &c., published at 6d., may be had gratis from any Chemist or dealer in perfumery in the World, or JOHN GOSNELL & Co., London.-[ADVI.]

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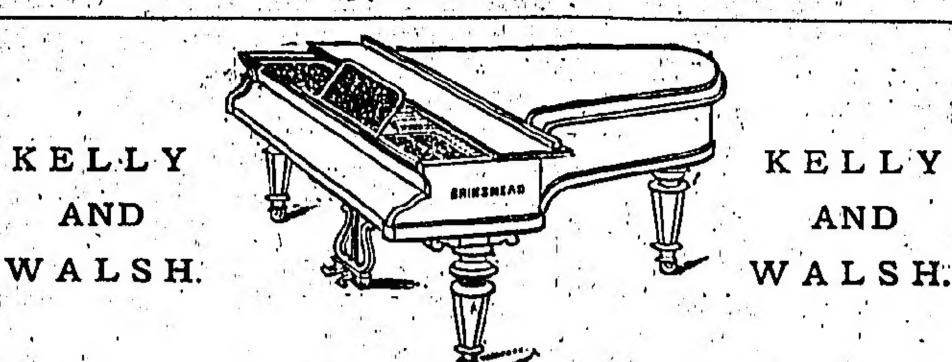
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OF MERIT, Philadelphia, 1876. THE DIPLOMA OF HONOUR, Paris, 1874, and the HONORARY MEMBERSHIP, OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF FRANCE.

THE GOLD MEDAL, Paris, 1870. THE DIPLOMA OF EXTRAORDINARY MER Netherlands International Exhibition, 1869. THE MEDAL OF HONOUR, Paris, 1867.

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Commercial.

A o'clock p.m.

The only business transacted on the Share Market to-day has been in arranging the usual monthly settlements. Quotations remain as under."

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-160 per. cent. premium, sellers. Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$1,700 per share, buyers. China Traders' Insurance Company-\$1,550 per share, sellers. North China Insurance—Tls. 1,225 per share.

Yangtsze Insurance Association—Tls. 850 pér Chinese Insurance Company-\$231 per share. On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tis. 150 Miramar, British steamer, for Swatow.

per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$1000 per share, buyers. China Fire Insurance Company-\$335 per share,

Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company-54 per cent. premium. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co. -- \$31 per share premium, sellers. Hongkong Gas Company-\$80 per share.

Hongkong Hotel Company-\$110 per share. Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—par., buyers. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$195

China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)-3 Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$115 per share, sellers.

Hongkong Ice Company-\$164 per share, buyers. Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -\$60 per share. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1878-11 per centi prem.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1881—21 per cent. prem.

On LONDON.—Bank, T. T.3/71 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight......3/7%. Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight3/81 Credits, at 4 months' sight.......3/81 Documentary Bills, at '4 months' ON PARIS.— Bank Bills, on demand4.56: Credits, at 4 months' sight4.66.

ON BOMBAY. - Bank, T.T.2223 ON SHANGHAL— Private, 30 days'sight727

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Per Carnarvoushire, str., for London.-5,920 boxes Congou, (124,319 lbs.), 4,463 boxes Caper (93,813 lbs.), 1,271 boxes Orange Pekoe (26,691 lbs.)—Potal 11,654 boxes (244,823 lbs.); 70 bales Waste and Punjam Silk, 175 casks Ginger, 120 rolls Matting, 97 packages Sundries. For Hamburg.—100 casks Ginger.

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New Malwa.....per picul, \$580 (Allowance, Taels 144.) OLD MALWAper picul, \$560 (Allowance, Taels 144.) NEW PATNA (first choice) per chest, \$545 NEW PATNA (second) per chest, \$540

New PATNA (without choice) per chest 85421 New Patna (bottom).....per chest, \$5471 New Brnarks (without choice) per chest,..... 8512?

New Persianper chest, \$380 (Allowance, Taels 8). OLD PERSIAN..... per picul, \$335 (Allowance, Taels 64).

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(FROM MERSES, FALCONER & CO.'s REGISTER). YESTERDAY. Thermometer-4 risk maintaining and an arrange of

Thermometer-4 P.M. (Wet bulb) TO-DAY. Barometer-9 A.M. Thermonteter-Maximum.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

TIIIS DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

SHANG MANILA. DAROMETER, THERMOME

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Barometer, level of the sea in inches, tens and hundreds,-Thermometer, in Fahrenheit degrees and tens kept in the open air in a shaded situation. Direction of Wind, is registered every two points, N., N.N.E., N.E., etc. Force of Wind, o caim. I to 3 light brocke. 3 to 5 mode. rate. 5 to 7 fresh. 7 to 8 strong. 8 to to beavy. 10 to 12 violent.-State of Westher, B. Clear blue sky. C. Cloudy. D. Drietly. F. Fog. G. Foggy. H. Hail. L. Lightning. M. Misty, O. Overcast, P. Passing showers. Q. Squally. R. Rainy. S. Bnow. T. Thunest U. Bad. threatening V. Vilibility, W. Storm Z. Calm. The etters are repeated to indicate any increase over the mean average of their signification. Rain. The hours of rain for the previous se hours (noon) are registered from: 1 to se

the quantity of water fallen adjected in inches tens and

Shipping.

JUNO, German bark, 517, H. C. Breckwoldt 20th Nov.,-Hamburg 22nd July, General. -Melchers & Co.

CLARA, German bark, 419, T. Lentig, 30th Nov. -Amoy 28th November, Beans.-Melchers

YANGISZE, British steamer, 719, E. Lee, 30th Nov., - Canton 29th Nov., General .- Siems-MIRAMAR, British steamer, 800, E. J. Duggan,

30th Nov., - Canton 29th Nov., Rice. - Jardine, Matheson & Co. ASIA, German schooner, 380, C. Haack, 30th Nov.,-Chefoo 22nd Nov., General.-Wieler

Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$105 per | NESTOR, British steamer, 1,458, Nish, 30th Nov., -Swatow 29th Nov., General.-Butterfield & Swire.

> CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Catherina II., Russian steamer, for Singapore. Hwai-yuen, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai.

DEPARTURES. November 30, Greyhound, British steamer, for Hoihow. November 30, Alwine, German str., for Saigon. November 30, Saltee, French str., for Hoihow. November 30, Catherina II., Russian steamer, for Straits Settlements.

November 30, Hwai-yuen, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai. November 30, Miramar, British str., for Swatow and Shanghai.

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED.

Per Nestor, str., from Shanghai.-Mr. Hannan, and 600 Chinese. From Foochow.-Captain and Mrs. Cook. From Swatow .- Consul Mollendorf; and Lieut. Rowlett (H.M.S. Cleapatra) for London. DEPARTED.

Per Hailvong, str., for Amoy.—Captain Robt.

· REPORTS. The British steamship Nestor reports left Swatow on the 29th instant. Had, fresh monsoon and cloudy weather.

VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS IN IAPAN, CHINA, AND MANILA. BellerophonShanghai.....Oct. Glaucus (s.)Shanghai.....Oct. Aberdeen (s.)Shanghai.....Oct. Flintshire (s.)JapanOct. Nyl Ghau.....Oct. DartmouthManilaOct.

VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG. (Corrected to Date). C. B. HazeltineNew YorkJuly 12 B. F. WatsonNew YorkJuly 25 KhorassanAntwerpAug. 24 Nieuwe Waterweg Hamburg Sept. FluellinSunderland Sept. WeserCardiff.....Sept. B. P. CheneyCardiff......Sept. NapierSept. Mary Whitridge New York Sept. 12 Phoenix......Sept. 17

MarieSept. 21 HeinrichCardiffSept. 22 DeutschlandPenarthSept. 25 Berenice (s.)TriesteOct. Emma T. Crowell New YorkOct. DorotheaCardiffOct. LuciaOct. 13 Whampoa (s.)......GlasgowOct. 13 Minard Castle (s.)LondonOct. Sarpedon (6.)LiverpoolOct. 17

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE INDIAN MAIL

The steamers Lennox and Japan, with the next Indian mail, left Calcutta on the 16th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 1st December.

THE FRENCH MAIL

The M. M. steamer Ava, with the next French mail, left Singapore on the evening of the 26th November, and may be expected here on or about the 3rd December.

The O. and O. steamer Oceanic, with the next American mail, left San Francisco on the 11th instant, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 10th December.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's steamer Berenics-left-Singapore-on-the morning of the 22nd instant, and may be expected here on or about the 30th.

The steamer Minard Castle left Singapore for this port on the 29th November, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 7th De-

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

ARABIC, British steamer, 2,787, W. G. Pearne, R.N.R., 27th Nov.,-San Francisco 31st

October, and Yokohama 22nd November, General.-O. & O. S. S. Co. BAYSWATER, British steamer, 1,039, M. Walker, 15th Nov.,-Manila 11th Nov., General.-Melchers & Co.

CHINA, German steamer, 649, H. Schoer, 20th Nov.,—Swatow 28th Nov., General.—Yuen Fat Hong.

CITY OF PEKING, American str., 5,079, G. G. Berry, 19th November, -- San Francisco 21st October, and Yokohama 13th Nov., Mails and General.-P. M. S. S. Co. CONSOLATION, British steamer, 766, W. B. Lindsay, 31st October,-Bangkok 23rd October,

Rice and General .- Jardine; Matheson & Co. -(Kowloon Dock.) CRUSADER, British steamer, 647, T. Rowin, 13th November, -Saigon 7th November, Rice. --Chong Wo Cheang.

DALE, British steamer, 644, E. Allason, 24th Nov.,-Bangkok 13th Nov., Rice and General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. DIAMANTE, British steamer, 514, Cullen, 21st

November, -- Manila 18th November, General.-Russell & Co.: EALING, British steamer, 1,344, T. W. Salmon, 22nd November, -- Salgon 16th November, Rice and Paddy.-Siemssen & Co.

EASINGTON, British steamer, 1,137, John G. Greig, 23rd Nov., -Bangkok 11th Nov., Rice and General.-Master. EMUY, Spanish steamer, 314, Ortuzar, 28th Nov.,

-Manila 24th November, General.-Remedios & Co. -FAME, British steamer, 117, Stopani, (tug plying) Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co. FERNTOWER, British steamer, 700, Keller, 27th

Nov., -Saigon 20th Nov., Rice. - Chinese. GLENIPFER, French steamer, 1,601, G. Benoit, 26th Nov.-Saigon 19th Nov., Rice and General - Jardine, Matheson & Co.

HONGKONG-STEAMERS.

(Continued). GLENEYON, British steamer, 1,373, Frank Gedye, 20th Nov.,-London 12th October, and Singapore 22nd Nov., General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

HONGKONG, British steamer, 67, April 14th,-Kwok Acheong & Sons. NAMOA, British steamer, 862, Geo. Westoby, 28th November, - Foochow 24th Nov., Amoy 25th, and Swatow 27th, General.-D. Lapraik & Co.

ODIN, Norwegian steamer, 959, Sorensen, 19th Nov.,-Swatow 18th Nov., General.-C. M. S. N. Co.—Aberdeen Dock.

REMUS, British steamer, 652, Hill, 26th Nov., -Manila 22nd Nov., General.-Dunn, Mel-

SEA GULL, American steamer, 48, Hayden, Nov. 24th, -China Traders' Insurance Co. SUAL, British str., 262, Parker, October 11th,-Manila 11th October, General.-Melchers

SHUN-ON, Annamite steamer, 136, W. Blumenberg, 29th Nov., Touron 11th Nov., Ballast .- Shun Woo Yuen. SUMATRA, British steamer, 1,406, F. Fairtlough, 26th Nov.,—Nagasaki 22nd Nov., General. P. & O. S. N. Co.

TANNADICE, British steamer, 2,000, S. G. Green, 28th Nov., -Sydney 4th November, General.-Gibb, Livingston & Co. THALES, British steamer, 820, Harris, 29th Nov.,

Swatow 28th Nov., General.-D. Laptaik & Co. VOLGA, French steamer, 1,049, de Temple, 20th Nov., -Yokohama 13th Nov., General. -Messageries Maritimes,-Kowloon Dock. YOTTUNO, British steamer, 286, H. Kennett, June 23rd,-Quangai 19th June, General.-Kwok Acheong & Sons.

SAILING VESSELS.

AGNES MUIR, British bark, 851, James Lowe, Sept. 29th,-London 14th June, General. -Gibb, Livingston & Co.-Kowloon Dock. ANDREAS, German bark, 423, F. Hoyer, 27th November,-Newchwang 16th Nov., Beans. -Siemssen & Co.

ANNA BERTHA, German bark, 480, Krause, 27th November,-Newchwang 14th Nov., Beans. -Siemssen & Co. BONITO, German bark, 524, 'H. Haase, 14th

Nov.,-Newchwang 4th Nov., Beans.-Wieler & Co. CATHERINE MARDEN, British 3-m. sch., 287, W. Marden, 18th November,-Newchwang 7th

CENTAUR, German bark, 468, Offerson, 24th November,-Newchwang 12th Nov., Beans. 18 CHRISTIAN, German schooner, 250, C. Kossow, 8th November,-Newchwang 25th October,

Beans.—Wieler & Co. C. RODBERTUS, German bark, 566, He Schultz, 28th Nov.,-Newchwang 19th Nov., Beans. —Captain. CONQUEST, American bank, 516, Carins, 20th

Nov.,-Newcastle 22nd Sept., Coal.-Ed, Schellhass & Co. COURIER, British bark, 320, Bartlett, 8th Nov., -Newchwang 19th October, Beans,-Ed. Schellhass & Co. C. F. SARGENT, American ship, 1,704, D. H

Atherton, 21st November,-Cardiff 23rd June, Coals.—Borneo Co. Limited. DORA, German ship, 1,259, H. Meyer, 22nd November,-Cardiff 1st July, Coal.-Melchers & Co. ELLA S. THAYER, American ship, 1,098, Davis,

22nd October,—put back.—Russell & Co. ERIN'S ISLE, British ship, 1,798, J. Fleming, August 20th,-Cardiff 22nd April, Coal.-Gibb, Livingston & Co. ERL KONIG, German bark, 456, A. Naurch, 27th Nov.,-Newchwang 16th Nov., Beans.-

Siemssen & Co. FANO, Danish brig, 227, M. N. Mortensen, 27th Nov., -Chefoo 20th Nov., Beans and General.—Ed: Schellhass & Co. FERDINAND, German bark, 416, Westergnard, 21st November,-Newchwang 10th Nov.,

Beans.—Wieler & Co. FRANCES & AMANDA, Ger. bark, 370, H. Borgward, 28th Nov.,-Newchwang 17th Nov., Beans.—Wieler & Co. FRIEDERIKE, German ship, 1,398, F. Wiericks,

6th November,-Cardiff 29th June, Coals. -Melchers & Co.

GLOAMING, British ship, 1,490, Densmore, 18th October,—New York 2nd June, Kerosine Oil .-- Russell & Co. HAMMONIA, German bark, 408, Weller, 21st November,-Newchwang oth Nov., and

Amoy 20th, Benns.-Chinese. HELENS, British bark, 433, J. Inkster, 28th Nov. -Newchwang 19th Nov., Beans.-Melchers & Co. HIERONYMUS, German bark, 425, M. Ipland,

19th November,-Newchwang 9th Nov., Beans,-Wieler & Co. H. UPMANN, German bark, 427, H. G. Weber, 15th Nov.,-Newchwang 4th Nov., Beans,-E. Schellhass & Co. INGEHURG, German bark, 386, H. Ipland, 21st

November,-Newchwang 10th November, General.—Captain, JENNIE HARKNESS, American bark, 1,373, Ams-bury, 27th October,—Newcastle, N.S.W., 5th September, Coals .-- Adamson, Bell &

MALVINA, German bark, 479, H. Klinge, 26th Nov.,-Newchwang Isth Nov., Beans .-MARINA, Brit. bark, 664, Langlois, October 13th

-London 20th April, General.-Adamson, MARTHA DAVIS, American bark, 871, T. M.

Benson, 17th November, - Honolulu (S.I.) 3rd October, 6,000 cases Oil, and 250 tons Coal.-Russell & Co. METEOR, German bark, 594, T. Hortsmann, 24th October,—New York 17th May, Kerosine

Oil .- Melchers & Co. MOMMUSEN, German ship, 1,250, A. R. Wielnis, September 20th-Cardiff 11th May, Coals.-Melchers & Co.

N. BOYNTON, American bark, 1,065, Wm. E Nasson, October 11th,-New York 4th May, Petroleum.—D. Lapraik & Co. NONPAREIL, British bark, 399, E. Finlayson, 9th November,-Newchwang 30th Oct., Beans.

-Chong Woo.-Kowloon Dock. PROSPERITY, Siamese bark, 476, D. Michaelsen, August 21th,-Bangkok 11th August, General.—Chinese.

RAMIER, French brig, 280, Jarvary, 23rd Nov., Newchwang toth Nov., Beans. Carlowitz RAVEN, British bark, 344, Whiting, 14th Nov., -Newchwang 3rd November, Beans.-Ed.

Schellhass & Co. SAMUEL D. CARLETON, American bark, 884, Geo. A. Freeman, October 9th,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 10th August, Coal.—Order.—Cos-

mopolitan Dock SATSUMA, British bark, 364, Lord, 25th Nov.,-Whampoa 24th Nov., General.—Ed. Schellhass & Co.

SOLIDOR, British bark, 240, C. Schroder, 28th Nov.,—Newchwang 19th Nov., Beans.— Solveic, Norwegian bark, 602, Olsen, 6th Nov.,

Schellhass & Co. ST. Ingue, French bark, 888, F. Durand, 16th -Carlowitz & Co.

HONGKONG-SAILING VESSELS.

(Continued.) TALEE, German bark, 342, C. Stolze, 29th Nov.,
—Newchwang 19th Nov., Beans.—Siemssen & Co. TEK LI, British barque, 400, L. G. Buckholdt, 15th Nov., -Bangkok 18th October, Rice. -

THOON KRAMOM, Siamese bark, 475, T. W. Vorrath, 25th Nov.,—Bangkok 18th Oct., Rice.—Siemssen & Co. THREE BROTHERS, British bark, 366, H. Kahlke, Swatow 22nd October, General.-Ee Tye

VALPARAISO, German bark, 486, F. Meyer, 27th Nov.,-Newchwang 16th Nov., Beans.-Ed.

Schellhass & Co. YOUNG SIAM, Siamese ship, 701, W. Saxtorph, 20th Nov.,-Bangkok 7th Oct., General.-Chinese.

CANTON.

KEELUNG, British steamer, 919, Schultze, 26th Nov.,-Wuhu 21st Nov., Rice.-Butterfield Peking, British steamer, 954, G. H. Drewes, 28th Nov.,—Shanghai 25th Nov., General -Siemssen & Co.

WHAMPOA.

CARMELITA & IDA, German bark, 438, E. G. Ketel, Ningpo 4th November, General. Ed. Schellhass & Co. MINERVA, German brig, 319, P. Duhme, 28th

Nov.,-Newchwang 17th Nov., Beans .-Melchers & Co. SAN FRANCISCO, German schooner, 251, A. Oltmann, 19th Nov.,-Newchwang 8th Nov., Beans. - Siemssen & Co. J. D. Brewer, American bark, 962, W. L. Josse-

RIVER STEAMERS.

Rice.-Captain.

lyn, 19th Nov., -Shanghai 15th November,

Hankow, British steamer, 2,235, Ogston.—Butterfield & Swire. Ho-nam, British steamer, 1,377, T. Benning.-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co.

Kiang-ping, Chinese steamer, 360, Holmes .-C. M. S. N. Co. Kiu-kiang, British steamer, 617, A. Benning,-Kiung-chow, British steamer, 159, Goggin.-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co. November, Beans and General.-Wieler Powan, British steamer, 1,890, Hoyland-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co.

Spark, British steamer, 140.-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. White Cloud, British steamer, 527.—Hongkong Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. Yot-sai, British steamer, 180, Lefavor-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co.

In Port on 25th November, 1882.

Alex. Newton, British bark, 308 (Newton)-Boyd

Assens, Danish bark, 235 (Vandel)-H. A. Pe-Cingalee, British bark, 336 (Pringle)-Pasedag Emily, British brig, 296 (Crichton)—Boyd & Co. H. Bremer, German schooner, 332 (Bremer)-H. A. Petersen & Co.

Juno, German bark, 266 (Nielsen)-Pasedag Magenta, British schooner, 329 (Coalfleet)-Nicoline, German schooner, 331 (Mahlmann)— Pasedag & Co.

Oscar Mooyer, German bark, 360 (Johannsen)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Rachel, British bark, 282 (Affleck)—Boyd & Co. Siberien, German bark, 365 (Schultz)—H. A. Petersen & Co. Vagrien, German schooner, 179 (Debbern)-H.

A. Petersen & Co. FOOCHOW.

In Port on 24th November, 1882. Mozart, German brig, 350 (Storm)—Kaw Hong Take & Co.

> · SHANGHAI. In Port on 25th November, 1882.

Anglo-Indian, British bark, 444 (Graham)— Drysdale. Ringer & Co. Antwerp, British bark, 1,091 (Smith)-Frazar Brenda, British brig, 290 (Swenson)-Mackenzie Chingtah, Chinese bark, 472 (Taylor)-C. M. Foochow, Siamese bark, 301, (Guldberg)—Siems-Guiding Star, British bark, 311 (Schintger)-

John Bunyan, British bark, 1,139 (Hilton)-C. & John Potts, British bark, 373 (Brown)-Melchers Kolga, British bark, 541.-Russell & Co.

Leander, British bark, 846 (Hamilton)-Mel-Louise, German schooner, 245 (Schierloch)-Ed. Schellhass & Co. Martha, British bark, (McPearson)-Morris &

Saturn, German bask, 483 (Maas)-Primrose Star of India, British bark, 1,040 (Parslow)-Tetuan, British bark, 437 (Hyne)-J. J. Buch-Zebina Goudey, British bark, 1,037 (Cook)-

Melchers & Co. YOKOHAMA. In Port on 18th November, 1882.

Ada, British schooner, 73 (J. Goldie)-H. Cook. Alert, American bark, 1,154 (Fraser, Farley & Black Diamond, German bark, 670 (Boyd)-P. Cremona, American bark, 608 (Gove)-Frazar & Co. Diana, American schooner, 75 (Peterson)-Cap-Elmiranda, Amer. bark. 656 (Staples)—Walsh,

Hall & Co. Else, German brig, 287 (Holm)-P. Bohm. Frank Carvill, British ship, 1,489 (Chapman)-A. J. Macpherson. Helena, American schooner, 40 (Bischof)-M.

Ohude, American sch., 40 (Wilson)-Captain. Osaka, British bark, 527 (Lowe)-Corner & Co. Oswald, German bark, 445 (Boysen)-P. Bohm. Snow & Co.

Otter, American schooner, 60 (Littlejohn) J. E. Collyer & Co. Queen Emma, British bark, 314 (W. Dow)-Walsh, Hall & Co.

lardine: Matheson & Co. -Newchwang 29th October, Beans Ed. Royal Tar, British bank, 598 (Scott)-O. & O. Co. Sophie, Russian brig, 330 (P. Lemascheffey) November, Newchwang 7th Nov., Beans, Zephyr, British schooner, 250 (Ewart)-P. HodIntimations.

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Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE

For Yokohama and Hiogo.-Per Glenlyon, tomorrow, the 1st December, at 2.30 P.M. For Kudat and Sandakan.-Per Fokien, tomorrow, the 1st December, at 3,30.P.M. For Saigon.—Per Bayswater, to-morrow, the

1st December, at 4.30 P.M. For Amoy and Manila.—Per Diamante, tomorrow, the 1st December, at 4.30 P.M. For Bangkok.-Per Dale, to-morrow, the 1st December, at 5 P.M.

For Swatow, Amoy, & Foochow, -Per Namoa, on Saturday, the 2nd December, at 5 P.M. For Straits Settlements .- Per Ferntower, on Monday, the 4th December, at 3.30 P.M. For Nagasaki and Kobe.—Per Niigata Maru, on Friday, the 8th December, at 3.30 P.M.

For Nagasaki and Yokohama.—Per Banga-

lore, on Friday, the 15th December, at 11.30 A.M. The Postal Guide published in 1879 being now somewhat out of date, a revised issue is printed in the Hongkong Directory and Hong List for the Far East for 1882, which super-

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